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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PARM, PCAT, UR, US

SUBJ: SUMMARY OF THE FOURTH PLENARY

1. FOURTH AND LAST PLENARY TODAY WAS USED BY BOTH SIDES TO SUMMARIZE WHERE WE ARE AND WHAT IS TO BE DONE IN BETWEEN ROUNDS AND AT THE NEXT ROUND TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED FOR EARLY DECEMBER. GELB SUMMARIEZED IN DETAIL POINTS OF AGREEMENT, DISAGREEMENT, THOSE POINTS NEEDING CLARIFICATION, AND FUTURE WORK AND OBJECTIVES. TEXT WILL ARRIVE HOME WITH DELEGATION.

2. MENDELEVICH DESCRIBED US STATEMENT AS "OBJECTIVE" AND OTHERS DESCRIBED IT AS "ACCURATE AND FAIR" DURING BREAK. MENDELEVICH CAUTIONED AGAINST EXPECTING "MIRACLES" IN THE NEXT ROUND, BUT ACCEPTED US PROPOSAL TO CONTINUE CONTACTS BEFORE THE NEXT ROUND IN REGULAR DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS. HE CONCLUDED BY SAYING THAT THE SINGLE MOST IMPORTANT DETERMINANT FOR THE SUCCESS OF CAT IN DECEMBER WILL BE THE STATE OF OVERALL US-SOVIET RELATIONS.

3. ON PROMISING NOTE BY MENDELEVICH--HE MOVED A STEP FURTHER IN ACCEPTING THE POSSIBILITY OF INTERIM

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RESTRAINT ARRANGEMENTS BEFORE FINAL AGREEMENT AND CRITERIA.

4. THANKS FOR ALL THE GOOD BACKSTOPPING WORK.
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